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1. During the morning on 3 July 1953, 23 Il-28 and Uil-28 planes, [REDACTED] 6 swept-back jet planes, 9 ground attack planes, 2 twin-engine planes, 1 high-wing monoplane and 1 biplane were observed at Jueterbog Altes Lager airfield. There was local flying with Il-28 and Uil-28 planes. At 6 p.m., air force soldiers loaded 10 tank trucks, 12 trucks, 2 sedans, 1 jeep and 1 ambulance, [REDACTED] at Altes Lager railroad station. On 10 July, 1 Il-28, 1 ground attack plane, 2 biplanes, 2 twin-engine aircraft and 7 swept-back jet planes were stationed at the field. [REDACTED]

2. On the morning of 9 July, 21 swept-back jet fighters were parked in the southern section of the field, 3 biplanes in front of the hangars and 18 Il-28 and Uil-28 planes in the northern section of the field. Two biplanes practiced flying.

3. On 10 July, no Il-28s were observed at the field.

Comment. Jueterbog Altes Lager airfield was previously occupied by a reconnaissance regiment and a fighter regiment equipped with Il-28s and MiG-15s respectively. The present report indicates that the Il-28s of the reconnaissance regiment left the field on 9 and 10 July 1953. It is believed that the reconnaissance regiment from this field as well as the bomber regiments equipped with Il-28s from other airfields left East Germany. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The ground attack planes observed at the field probably belong to the ground attack regiment stationed at Reinsdorf airfield.

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